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OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN SECRETARY

CERTIFICATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that at the regular session duly constituted of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, Province of Pangasinan, held on February 12, 2024 at the Session Hall, Capitol Building, Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following resolution was approved:

Sponsored by SP Members Rosary Gracia P. Perez-Tababa and Nicholi Jan Louie Q. Sison and co-sponsored by SP Members Arthur C. Celeste, Jr., Joyce D. Fernandez and Raul R. Sabangan

RESOLUTION NO. 237-2024

DECLARING THE ANNUAL BUDGET FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2024 OF STO. TOMAS, PANGASINAN INVOLVING A TOTAL APPROPRIATION OF P91,902,197.00, OPERATIVE IN ITS ENTIRETY

WHEREAS, pursuant to Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Pangasinan as a legislative body of the Province is empowered to review ordinances authorizing annual or supplemental appropriations of component cities and municipalities in the manner prescribed by law;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Bayan of Sto. Tomas, Pangasinan submitted its Annual Budget for Calendar Year 2024 involving total appropriations of P91,902,197.00 which was enacted on December 18, 2023 through Appropriation Ordinance No. 3, S-2023;

WHEREAS, the Committee on Laws and Ordinances of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan with the technical assistance of the Local Finance Committee of the Province pursuant to Section 316 of the Local Government Code of 1991, have conducted review and study on said budget with the following findings:

1. That the utilization of appropriation from 20% of the Annual National Tax Allotment (NTA) for development projects (20% Development Fund) shall be subject to the provisions of DILG-DBM Joint Memorandum Circular (JMC) No. 1 dated November 4, 2020 re: Revised Guidelines on the Appropriation and Utilization of Twenty Percent (20%) of the Annual Internal Revenue Allotment for Development Projects;



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2. That all programs, projects and activities shall be in accordance with the approved Local Development Plan and the FY 2024 Annual Investment Program of the municipality formulated pursuant to DILG-NEDA-DBM-DOF Joint Memorandum Circular No. 1, Series of 2007 dated 08 March 2007;
3. That the items funded out of the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Fund shall be in accordance with R.A. No. 10121 known as the Philippine Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Act of 2010 and its IRR, and the DBM-NDRRM-DILG Joint Memorandum Circular No. 2013-1 dated March 25, 2013 re: Allocation and Utilization of the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Fund (LDRRMF), and that 30% shall be set aside as Quick Response Fund;
4. That all procurements to be undertaken shall be in accordance with the pertinent provisions of R.A. No. 9184 (The Government Procurement Reform Act.) and its revised Implementing Rules and Regulations;
5. That the appropriation for Terminal Leave Benefits shall be subject to the provision of DBM Budget Circular No. 2016-2 dated March 29, 2016 Re: Computation and Funding of Terminal Leave Benefits and Monetization of Leave Credits, which provides for the new constant factor stated under Item 3.1 thereof;
6. That the grant of step increment to some municipal employees and elective officials shall be in accordance with the CSC-DBM Joint Circular No. 01, S. 2012 dated September 3, 2012 and CSC-DBM Joint Circular No. 01, S. 2016 dated January 27, 2016. The appropriation for salaries of the following should be adjusted as follows: and

Office	Name	From	To
Office of the Mayor	Raff N. Marquez <i>Administrative Assistant I</i>	SG 7/1 P156,408.00	SG 7/2 P157,608.00
Office of the Sangguniang Bayan	Ely A. Ramos <i>SB Member</i>	SG 24/1 P756,660.00	SG 24/4 P794,316.00
MHO	Jill C. Asuncion <i>Nurse II</i>	SG 16/2 P481,056.00	SG 16/3 P486,108.00

7. That the salary grade allocation of the following newly created positions should be adjusted to conform with the Local Budget Circular No. 137 dated July 13, 2021 Re: *Index of Occupational Services, Position Titles and Salary Grades in the Local Government (IOS-LGU), CY 2021 Edition* to wit:



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Position	Salary Grade	
	From	To
1. Labor and Employment Officer III	SG-22/1	SG-16/1
2. Environment Management Specialist I	SG-15/1	SG-11/1


WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan after final evaluation, finds the same in order provided that the findings shall be complied with by the Municipality;

WHEREFORE, in view of the foregoing, on motion of SP Members Rosary Gracia P. Perez-Tababa and Nicholi Jan Louie Q. Sison and co-sponsored by SP Members Arthur C. Celeste, Jr., Joyce D. Fernandez and Raul R. Sabangan, duly seconded, it was—

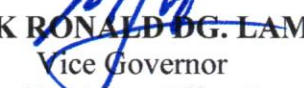
RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled, to declare Operative in its Entirety the Annual Budget for Calendar Year 2024 of Sto. Tomas, Pangasinan;

RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of this resolution be furnished the Office of the Sangguniang Bayan of Sto. Tomas, Pangasinan, for its information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY:


VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:


MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO
Vice Governor
(Presiding Officer)